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Peck's Bad Boy and His Pa.

"Say, I don't want you around here no more," said the grocery man to the bad boy, as he came in with his breeches tucked in his boots, and wanted to borrow a fish pole. "I have noticed you lately going around a good deal with that 'sheeny' boy. Those Jews are no good, and if you go with that boy you will be ruined. Now keep away from here until you let that boy alone," and the grocery man looked mad, though he was polite enough when a Jewish lady, who lived in the same block, came in and bought some groceries.

"Well, what's the matter with that boy?" asked the bad boy, the blood coming to his face indignantly. "Has he done anything that wasn't right? I have never seen a boy that was any straighter than he is."

"That don't make any odds. Jews are all alike. That boy will cheat you out of your eye teeth. He will pinch a penny until the Goddess of Liberty will grunt. You ask your pa what he thinks about your going with Jew boys," and the grocery man looked as though, if his advice was taken, the bad boy would be saved.

"O, go away," said the bad boy. "Pa says he had just as soon borrow money of a Jew as anybody. Say, that 'sheeny' boy, as you call him, has done me more good than any boy I ever played with. He has taught me more about the proper way to treat my parents than anybody. You ought to see him at home. He never plays any jokes on his parents, and is just as tender to his ma as though she was his best girl. His ma isn't very healthy, and he is always on the lookout for something he may do to save her a step, or make her enjoy herself. His pa is a close trader in business, but at home the family has a regular picnic all the time. There is never anything but smiles in their house, and the poor who come there to beg always go away with baskets full, and if the baskets are too heavy this 'sheeny' boy, that you abuse, goes and helps carry the baskets home for them. He will work all day to put up a swing for a poor neighbor's children, and furnish the rope. I have seen him tug away the top of his little savings bank and take all the money out to give away to those who are destitute. And his father and mother encourage him in doing good. Why, he is the tenderest hearted boy I ever saw, and I am going to stand by him. I don't care a darn whether his nose is put on sideways or endways, whether he says, 'has du kooch' or 'tra-la-la' as long as his heart is as big as a peck measure, and as tender as new asparagus, he is a friend of mine, and don't you forget it."

"Well," said the grocery man, a little taken back, "this one may be all right, but you ought to know that the Jews crucified Christ, and you ought to have some pride about you, and go back on them like the rest of us. It is fashionable to abuse Jews."

"O, give us a rest," said the boy, mad enough to kick somebody. "Suppose a few of them did lynch a man eighteen hundred years ago, they didn't know what they were about. Didn't Christ say, and didn't He forgive them, and ask his Heavenly Father to forgive them? If the one crucified could forgive them, what are you monkeying about at this late day? You poor old fraud haven't got any right to make that old affair a personal matter, and put on any style over people better than you are. I have never heard of a Jew being in jail or in a poor-house. They don't steal. They don't put sand in their sugar. I never knew a Jew to refuse to contribute to any charitable object, or to turn a deserving applicant for assistance away from his door. Some of them may be as mean as some of us United States fellows, but they have got to be awful mean if they are. Was the crucifixion of Christ the only crime that was ever committed in this world that should be remembered, and the people prejudiced against the perpetrators? Your ancestors in New England burned people at the stake on account of their religious convictions. Suppose every New Englander who wears spectacles and eats beans, should be looked upon as you look upon the Jews, because their forefathers roasted Christians on the half-shell, what kind of society would we have, any way? Their religion is none of your business or mine, but you could learn a good deal that would benefit you if you could attend their synagogue for a few months, and listen to the teachings of a good rabbi. The only thing I have against them is that they won't let their young people marry amongst our young folks, but they will get over that some day. If the Jews should get to marrying Gentiles, there would be a stop put to some of the extravagance of the Gentiles, and it would be millions of dollars in the pockets of the people."

"Well, they won't eat pork," said the grocery man, as a last argument against the Jews. "Any people that will go back on one of the greatest products of this country are to be blamed. If the Jews would eat pork it would go up two cents a pound in a week."

"O, you damned old fool," said the bad boy, perfectly disgusted. "That is a pretty argument. Whisky is as great a product of this country as pork, and you don't drink whisky, so you go back on a great national product the same as they do. They don't need pork in their business, and neither of you have to use it. No, sir. Until you can show me some reason for going back on my 'sheeny' friend, besides the fact that his ancestors did a wrong eighteen hundred years ago, and the fact that he is not marked on pork spare ribs, he can consider Henmy his friend, and I will follow the examples of kindness and charity which he always displays, and in time I may see that there is a good deal of fun in the world without playing tricks on people. Now give me that fish pole," and the boy went out, leaving the grocery thinking what a fool he had made of himself.—Peck's Sun.

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Tom Marshall and the Judge.

Tom was engaged in the trial of a case somewhere in the interior of Kentucky, when a decision of the Judge struck him as so bad that he rose and said:
"There never was such a ruling as that since Pontius Pilate presided on the trial of the Savior."
"Mr. Clerk," responded the Judge, "fine Mr. Marshall ten dollars for contempt of court."
"I confess, your Honor," continued Tom, "that what I said was a little hard on Pontius Pilate; but it is the first time in the history of Kentucky jurisprudence that it is held that to speak disrespectfully of Pontius Pilate is contempt of court."
"Mr. Clerk, make the fine twenty dollars for a continuous contempt," said the Judge solemnly.
"Well, Judge," Tom added, "as you wou all my money last night at poker, lend me the twenty."
"Mr. Clerk," cried the Judge, hastily, "remit the fine. The State can better afford to lose the money than I can."
"I congratulate the Court upon its return to a sane condition," said Tom, resuming his seat amid roars of laughter.

Where the Difficulty Was.

[Philadelph. Call.]
"Then you love me truly, Elvira!"
"Yes, yes, my darling; truly, most truly."
"And in spite of poverty?"
"What matters mere wealth when compared to the bliss of your noble love!"
"Thanks, thanks, my beloved, you have rendered me unspcakably happy."
"I would rather be your wife and live in a cottage than dwell in the palace of a prince."
"Bless you, bless you, my own—but—"
"But I haven't the cottage!"

A very unreasonable story is going the newspaper rounds, which originated in the Dixon (Ky.) Record. The story in substance is as follows: A little boy entered a store in Sebree, Ky., a few days ago, and called for some articles, offering a silver quarter, which was almost in the shape of a ball. The merchant refused to take the money, and the little fellow took it to another house and got it changed, returning to the first house to get his goods, he drew from his pocket the change, and the two dimes he had just received were melted and stuck together. Several persons then gave the boy money which would melt in a few moments after it was put in his pockets. It seems to us that Joe Mulhatten must have figured in the get up of the story.

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"PONY-DASHES."

Adam was an Eve-angelist.
The wages of spring are dew every night.

The merchant who trusts is the merchant who "busts."

The so-called protective policy is legalized robbery.

The fates in which farmers should trust—phosphates.

Judge not a man by his glove. It may hide a dirty hand.

Paddle your own canoe, young man. If you haven't canoe, then paddle a Joe-boat.

When an accident is probable, absence of body is preferable to presence of mind.

The man who spends his time watching his neighbor's garden will let his own run to weeds.

Sullivan, the pugilist, may not be a Mohammedan, but he is unquestionably a muscle-man.

If gold were as easy to find by him who seeks it as trouble, there would be no poverty in the world.

It comes natural to O'Donovan Rossa and his gang to be always mad. They are natives of Ireland.

The tenth Kentucky district is represented in congress by a White man with the manners of a nigger.

The knights of old sat at Arthur's round table, but the knights of Washington are passed round Arthur's table.

Liberty and labor are the noblest prerogatives of man—provided he doesn't take the liberty to steal and then he compelled to labor in a striped suit.

Would you find a man who never said an unkind word of his neighbor and always turned a deaf ear to scandal? Then go to a graveyard, for he is not among the living.

The New York Sun styles Mr. Blaine "a hermit." Yes, he is a hermit—a hermit-crab. Let the presidential nomination be held at the hole he occupies, and the way he'll clamp his claw on it will be a caution.

Mr. Watterson is brainy and brilliant but erratic. Had he common sense and discretion he would be a great man. Among the creators of thought and leaders of opinion he is as a flashing and short-lived meteor among the steady glowing and eternal planters.—Grucelle.

"You look sad, Birdie; what's the matter?" were the words addressed to Birdie McHenipin by her friend, Mollie Squeers, as they met on Austin avenue.

"I'm not feeling well."

"Are you sick?"

"No, I'm not precisely sick, but I feel tired, overworked."

"Do tell me all about it."

"Well, you see our colored cook is sick, and now poor mother has to do all the cooking and scrubbing and washing and ironing and it makes me feel so tired to see the old creature work. She is so slow."

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An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India Missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for the speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, asthma and all throat and Lung affections, also a positive and radical cure for Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested it wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it known to his suffering fellow-men. Actuated by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge, to all who desire it, this receipt, in German, French or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper. W. A. NOYES, 119 Powers Block, Rochester, N. Y.

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ANNOUNCEMENT.

We are authorized to announce Joun Boyd as a Republican candidate for Sheriff of Christian county. Election August 1884.

COUNTY DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION.

The Democrats of Christian county are hereby called to meet in mass convention at the Court House in Hopkinsville, Saturday, April 26, 1884, at 1 o'clock, p. m., for the purpose of selecting delegates to the State Convention at Frankfort, May 7, called for the purpose of sending delegates to the National Democratic Convention, at Chicago, July 8. G. A. CHAMPLIN, Ch'n. D. C. C. C. CHAS. M. MEACHAM, Secretary.

There were 175 business failures in the United States the first week in April.

The Blaine boom is growing as the Republican convention approaches. One-third of the Missouri delegation will be for the Maine statesman.

The Danville Tribune presents thirty presidential tickets for Republicans to choose from. Even Kiefer is not slighted, but figures as the head of the ticket, Kiefer and Phelps.

Last Wednesday was the nineteenth anniversary of the close of the war of the rebellion, and President Lincoln was assassinated nineteen years ago to-night.

The ship Alert presented to the United States by the English government arrived at New York Saturday and will be prepared at once for the Greely relief expedition to the Arctic regions.

We desire to state once for all that we are positively and emphatically not a candidate for the Presidency, and that we would not accept the nomination should it be tendered us. We make this announcement in order that the Presidential problem may be simplified as much as possible.

The House has adopted a resolution providing that the Legislature adjourn April 25th, and meet in adjourned session December 31st. The resolution was passed by a close vote—12 to 37. The session will not cost the State less than \$100,000. We are glad to see that Mr. Brasher voted against the measure.

Editor Short, in referring to the "Excelsior" entertainment, in Louisville, next month, says:

We don't know much about what "Kival's Excelsior" is, but if it is anything that will be of advantage to Louisville, and will draw a good crowd there, we are for it, and hope that it will surpass anything of the kind (whatever that is) ever attempted in any other city in the world. We are for Louisville first, last and all the time.

The Cincinnati News Journal proposes to give six prizes for the best poems on the subjects of cats and colored babies. The poems are to be limited to sixteen lines each, and three prizes are to be given on each subject, divided into first, second and third prizes. In the selection of judges, care will be taken that they have no personal interest in either cats or "colored" babies. The poems must be sent in by the 19th inst.

Hon. Jas. A. McKenzie is prominently mentioned as one of the representatives for the State at large in the Chicago convention. An abler or a better man, or a purer Democrat, could not be selected. In point of fitness for the position, both in voice and brain, Mr. McKenzie is the peer of any man in the State, and we believe the entire State will unite in tendering him the appointment. If it was left to Muhlenberg, he would give him any position he might aspire to from the Presidency down.—Muhlenberg Echo.

Representatives Julian and Perry came near having a fight in the Legislature last week. A running debate between them brought on personalities and Julian called Perry a "scoundrel" and the latter retorted by calling his adversary "a liar and a scoundrel." Members interceded and kept them apart and after they had been cooled off both apologized to the House, but refused to apologize to each other. The matter was "adjusted" by simply letting it drop.

Information has just been received of the ship Ranier, lost in the Pacific ocean January 3, near Ujaol Island, of the Marshall group. When the vessel went among the breakers, the natives came off in boats and took the Captain and crew ashore, 15 miles from the point of the wreck. There are 50 inhabitants on the island, governed by a king. The natives are very kind, and did everything for the comfort of the crew. Some of them can speak English, learned from traders. The island is 250 miles from the nearest mainland. The nearest land is the Philippine Islands.

The fourth day after their arrival Capt. Morrison sent the second officer and four seamen in a boat to see if they could obtain assistance by running across a ship or steamer. The boat was sighted by the British bark Catharine and taken to Sagon, where the news was immediately telegraphed.

The crew consisted of 27 men. They will be rescued as soon as a ship can be sent for them.

The Lower House of the Legislature has voted to adjourn April 25, and meet again in adjourned session Dec. 31. It is said that the Senate will concur in the resolution and that an extra session will be held at an expense of \$100,000 to the State. This in the face of the fact that the body has already been in session nearly twice as long as the time fixed by law. So far as the passage of measures of general importance is concerned, the present Legislature has proven itself a signal and gigantic failure. Aside from the consideration of local matters and declaring small creeks navigable streams, it has done literally nothing. It is true that much of the time during the early part of the session was taken up in the election of a United States Senator and choosing a Librarian and Public Printer. These matters have been disposed of for weeks and still the people have looked in vain for the Legislature to get down to some work of importance to the state. Just such business as this is running the State in debt and we are surprised to see the Courier-Journal advocating an adjourned session. The Frankfort Yeoman is right in opposing such a step. The proper course for the members of the General Assembly to pursue is to go to work in earnest, hold two sessions a day until the work now on hand is disposed of and then go home to stay. This could be done in thirty days, if the members would quit calling each other "liars and scoundrels" and get down to work.

Gov. Hoadley, of Ohio, has given the following expression of his views in regard to the coming campaign: "I favor a tariff for revenue, avoiding monopolies but carefully discriminating so as to encourage labor, and, as far as possible, so constructed in its intelligent details as to give relief to oppressed commerce and restore the American flag to the seas, but not to shock or rudely disturb invested capital. This is the Ohio platform, on which we carried Ohio last fall, and with Tilden or Payne as the candidate we can carry it again this year."

It is said that the three great States of New York, Pennsylvania and Ohio will unite upon these ideas and that Tilden, Randall and Payne will work together, backed by the 175 votes of their States.

The correspondent of the Courier-Journal says the universal sentiment now prevailing at Washington is that no one else will be thought of in connection with the nomination if Mr. Tilden can be prevailed upon to accept the Democratic standard in the coming contest. A delegation of Congressmen visited Mr. Tilden last week to get an expression at first hands from him, and to form their own conclusions as to his physical condition. It begins to look like the Democratic ticket will certainly be headed by the man most feared by the Republicans.

The first number of the Henderson State Sentinel since its resurrection came to hand last week with Tom Cannon's name at the masthead as of yore. It is a seven column quarto filled with interesting news presented in a very readable style. Tom "salutes" to the extent of half a column, announcing his intention to discuss all "religious, social, commercial and political" matters, but promises not to interfere with the "remedial plan of mortal and spiritual salvation."

The members of the staffs of the various Louisville newspapers organized a "Press club" last week. The club will be strictly of a social character and all active members of the press will be eligible to membership including editors, publishers, reporters, contributors and correspondents together with persons having literary occupations. Twenty-eight names were enrolled and a committee was appointed to draft a constitution and by-laws.

Hon. Schuyler Colfax, who was Vice President during Grant's first term, has had himself interviewed in regard to the Presidential race and makes the prediction that Indiana will go Republican by 20,000 majority. He fails to express an opinion as to the extent of the Republican majority Kentucky will give.

The Somerset Republican has requested each of its Republican readers who is a voter to notify it by postal card of his first and second choice for President. The responses will then be classified and summed up and, we suppose, the candidate having the largest number of adherents will be promptly nominated at the approaching convention.

Dr. W. L. Breyfogle, of Jefferson county, recently appointed by the Governor a member of the State Board of Health, is a homeopathic physician—the only one on the Board.

A young lady at Ashland presented the Independent with a pie last week. As a general thing "pi" is the last thing wanted about a printing office.

Capt. W. J. Stone, of Lyon county, will begin a canvass of the First District as a candidate for Congress, as soon as the Legislature adjourns. We hope to see him win.

The Gait de Cour club, of Henderson, has our thanks for an invitation to attend a dance to be given by it on the 18th.

Charles Reade, the great English novelist, died last week in the 70th year of his age.

KENTUCKY KNOWLEDGE.

Sells Bros' circus is in central Kentucky.

The Wickliffe Plaindealer has been moved to Blandville.

The Henderson Fair Co. has decided to hold no Fair this fall.

Tramps are numerous and troublesome in the bluegrass counties.

Dogs have killed \$1,200 worth of sheep for one man, near Lancaster.

Sixty hands in a Newport rolling mill have struck for higher wages.

Uniontown wants a Fair this fall, which will be a novelty in that town.

Gov. Knott has pardoned Jason Shanks, a Richmond thief, sent up for one year.

A theatre for colored people has been opened at 1003 West Jefferson street, Louisville.

The Paducah Daily Standard, quite a clipper youngster, has been added to our exchange list.

Miss Julia Everett, fatally injured in a railway accident at Maysville Mar. 28th, died last Friday.

Ben and Charlotte Wickliffe, col.—man and wife—of Louisville, claim to be 112 and 115 years old respectively.

The \$200,000 necessary to the success of the Louisville Exposition has been subscribed and the enterprise is an assured success.

The Winchester Sun has been enlarged to an octavo, and with a new dress it is now one of the handsomest papers in the state.

Messrs. Fitch & Co. have sold the Ashland Independent to Jas. A. Miller and D. W. Chadwick, who will continue its publication as heretofore.

At Wingo, in Hickman county, in a quarrel between Wm. and Lewis Smith, Wm. shot and instantly killed Robt. Virgin. The Smiths fled the country.

An election will be held in Callaway county next Saturday to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Representative Leech. Urey Kevill and L. B. Sims are candidates—both Democrats.

Judge W. W. Zazie, of Shepherdsville, made a determined effort to commit suicide. He took ether, chloroform and morphine and was found unconscious. At last accounts he was alive but in a hopeless condition.

Ed Walker, col., killed Wm. Moran, aged 21, with a brick bat, in Henderson, last week. He also knocked John Sandetur (who was with Moran) down with a stone, but his injuries were not fatal. The killing was unprovoked. Walker is in jail.

In Marshall county James Boyd, aged 55 years, went to the house of his son Frank Boyd, who was absent, and outraged his invalid wife and fled the country. He made a similar attempt seven years ago and his son would have killed him but for the intervention of friends. The family is one of the respected ones of the county.

Maynard Haskins, a ten-year-old boy, tied one end of a rope around an unbridled mule and the other around his own waist and mounted the animal to ride it to water, in Uniontown. The mule threw the boy and dragged him through the streets until he was a shapeless mass of quivering flesh when rescued, with life extinct.

Hopkinsville.

A little run down 'jo Hopkinsville the other day, afforded us another (our second) opportunity to see that beautiful and progressive little city. The splendid blocks of buildings that have risen up, as if by magic, from the ashes of its disastrous fires, suggest an involuntary doubt whether fires are not sometimes blessings in disguise, for certainly grander improvements have not been made anywhere, in so brief a space of time, than have been made in Hopkinsville where the flames played such havoc a year or two ago. And even the sites of buildings more recently destroyed, will soon be occupied by nobler structures than those that were destroyed. On walking up the street towards the depot, we were more forcibly struck with the beauty of the site of the late South Kentucky College, than we were before the building was destroyed. It is on a grand eminence overlooking the whole city, and the entire country for miles and miles around on every side. We were gratified to learn that the College will soon be rebuilt and will be ready for the Fall term. Such a site is worthy of a magnificent building.

Meeting Mr. Day—a son-in-law of Henderson, duly decorated with fragrant ivy—introduced us to Mr. Hendley, the stage manager of the Opera House, and that gentleman very courteously showed us through the building. It is a very handsome one, broader than ours, but lacks a Dress Circle and Boxes, and the balcony does not extend around the sides. The stage lighting is all done by electricity and the scenery and dressings rooms are very superior. Mr. Hendley informed us that he would have new scenery painted during the summer, and it would all be ready by the opening of the next season. Our contemporaries of the New Era and South Kentuckian were very busy eating dinner when we called, but we caught the latter in, as we were on our way out to the depot, and can truthfully say that he already shows unmistakable evidence of the improvement that is wrought by matrimony. It always has that effect.—Henderson Reporter.

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